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SUBJECT: TURKISH REACTION TO GREEK MEMORIAL TO ICJ ON AEGEAN  
DISPUTE

REF: ANKARA 6380

1. AQUARONE, REGISTRAR OF INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE,  
TOLD DCM SEPTEMBER 11 THAT THE COURT WOULD BEGIN ITS  
CONSIDERATION OF THE GREEK MEMORIAL ON AEGEAN DISPUTE ON  
OCTOBER 2. UNFORTUNATELY, HE SAID, THE TURKS WOULD NOT  
FORMALLY TAKE PART IN THE PROCEEDING. AQUARONE DID EXPECT,  
HOWEVER, THAT THEY WOULD BE ACTIVE BEHIND THE SCENES AND  
WOULD BE PREPARED TO SUBMIT PAPERS FOR THE COURT TO CON-  
SIDER ALTHOUGH THEY WOULD NOT ARGUE IN FRONT OF THE TRIBUNAL

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ITSELF. THIS BEHAVIOR MADE IT AWKWARD FOR THE JUDGES  
AND THEY DID NOT LIKE IT, BUT THE TURKS WERE FOLLOWING  
THE PROCEDURE ESTABLISHED BY THE FRENCH IN THE  
NUCLEAR TESTING CASES.

2. AQUARONE SAID HE EXPECTED A DECISION BY CHRISTMAS.  
JOSEPH

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